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Please refer to the we site:

<http://www.byte.com/documents/s=1115/byt20010824s0001/>.

The article about the demise of BeOS points out the following:

The reality is that Be's failure has made a point to the world, to whit:

"Don't bother trying to create a better commercial desktop OS - it doesn't matter how hard you try, how many engineers you throw at the problem, how much money you spend, how many years you put into it, or how wonderful the product is. Microsoft owns that (monopoly) space, and will VIGOROUSLY defend it."